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Re: School Section
Building Stone Lease
Millard County, UT

DOE/027/002

Dear Mr. Wright:

On July 11, 1978 Mr. Ron Daniels and myself performed a field inspection of your operation in the west one-half of Section 32, Township 19 South, Range 18 West in Millard County, Utah. Since it appeared that there had been little, if any, recent activity, we would like to know the current status and future plans for this State Lease.

The Division of State Lands has been notified of our inspection and should be contacting you in the near future concerning reclamation of the area, if this operation has been abandoned, to maintain your lease.

The Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining has the following recommendations regarding reclamation. At a minimum, we would like to see the disturbed area regraded and any junk and debris removed from the premises. We would also suggest that the area might be reseeded by broadcasting and dragging the following seed mixture: shadscale, at a rate of two (2) pounds per acre; Indian ricegrass, at one (1) pound per acre; and bluebunch wheatgrass, at a rate of two (2) pounds per acre.

Your nearby operation on Section 31 was also inspected at the same time and is considered by the Division to be exempt under Utah Law. However, if you have abandoned this area, you might also follow the above recommendations regarding your State Lease at the same time.

A written response concerning the status of these operations and any action that you may take in reclaiming these areas would be greatly appreciated. Thank you for your cooperation.

Yours very truly,

JAMES W. SMITH RECLAMATION SOILS SPECIALIST